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Attorney Docket No. **WMS-037**First Inventor **Alton G. Englman**Title **GAMING MACHINE HAVING AN ENHANCED GAME PLAY SCHEME**Express Mail Label No. **EV 306222468 US Filed on December 10, 2003****APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

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SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$770)	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

	Fee from Extra Claims below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	49 - 20** = 29 x 18 = 522	522
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1053	2053	130	130 Non-English specification
1812	1812	2,520	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1804	1804	920*	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
1805	1805	1,840*	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1251	2251	110	55 Extension for reply within first month
1252	2252	410	205 Extension for reply within second month
1253	2253	930	465 Extension for reply within third month
1254	2254	1,450	725 Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2255	1,970	985 Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	2401	320	160 Notice of Appeal
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1403	2403	280	140 Request for oral hearing
1451	1451	1,510	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1452	2452	110	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable
1453	2453	1,300	650 Petition to revive - unintentional
1501	2501	1,300	650 Utility issue fee (or reissue)
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1503	2503	630	315 Plant issue fee
1460	1460	130	130 Petitions to the Commissioner
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